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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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Part A: Manuscript
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Serial Nos. 3-6

Addenda and Corrigenda to the M.S.R. cancelling the rule which prohibits the grant of acting allowances for the first 30 days of a privilege leave vacancy.

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FILE HEADING.

Salary of an officer acting as Deputy Commissioner & amendment of the rule re-grant of acting allowance to first 30 days of a privilege leave vacancy

From

The Comptroller to Govt

No. 1523/228 Dated 8.9.06 Received 10/9/06

Diary No. 1115	Enclos. ——— Spare Copies. —	Serial No. 3

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

As Govt Proc. No. H 2010-1 & 16.9.1905 directing that acting Deputy Commrs. (S+A 115-05 E2) should be allowed to draw, during their acting tenure, the minimum pay of the appointment viz Rs 700/- have been issued without any record of his views and as he doubts the justification for this general exception in the acting allowance rules, he begs that the matter may be reconsidered and if there is no objection, he may be permitted to know the reasons for this important change.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

Submitted for orders. The office quoted is in the locked file (S+A 639-07-05)

24/11/06 M.R.R.

N.R.

Vol" The rule prohibiting the grant of acting allowance for the first 30 days of a privilege

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHÂRAJA OF MYSORE.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES.

MARCH 1907.

"A" Collection: Serial Nos. 1—6.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT
(SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES.)

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File No. 115 of 1905-06.

Salary of an Officer, acting as Deputy Commissioner and amendment of the rule *re* grant of acting allowance to first 30 days of a privilege leave vacancy.

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Submitted for orders.

R. S. R.
24-11-06.

N. K.
26-11-06.

The rule prohibiting the grant of acting allowances for the first 30 days of a privilege leave vacancy was cancelled in British India. I believe there was a proposal to cancel the corresponding rule in Mysore Service Regulations. Have orders been passed on this proposal ?

M. N. KRISHNA RAO
29-11-06.

Papers are submitted.

R. S. R. N. K.
18-12-06.

The ruling was the result of a representation made by Mr. K. R. Srinivasa Iyengar, as Acting Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore. The Revenue Commissioner recommended that the pay of Acting Deputy Commissioners may be fixed at Rs. 700 per mensem, as a ... ng less than that was not an adequate remuneration for their duty and responsibility. A similar concession having been allowed to District Judges, the recommendation was sanctioned.
Submitted to Secretary

M. N. K.
21-12-06.

The letter of Mr. Basu, dated 8th September 1906, needs no further action now. The change was advisedly made on the analogy of the practice already in force in regard to District Judges and other appointments; and it is too late to reconsider it now.

If a rule corresponding to that issued so far back as July 1906 in British India had been adopted in Mysore, it would have obviated difficulties in this and other respects.

Please draft and issue a letter to the First Assistant Resident, asking that a copy may be furnished of the Government of India Resolution and Corrigenda slip to the Civil Service Regulations on the subject of the abolition of the rule prohibiting the grant of acting allowances for the first 30 days, etc.

K. S. CHANDRASEKHARA AIYAR,
23-12-06.

Draft submitted.

R. S. R.
26-12-06.

N. K.
26-12-06.

Issue.

M. N. KRISHNA RAO
30-12-06.

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5. From the First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, No. 235, dated 18th January 1907.

Forwards the required papers.

Secretary's Order.

Put up drafts of the necessary amendments to our Service Regulations after an unofficial reference to the Comptroller.

K. S. CHANDRASEKHARA AIYAR.
19-1-07.

Submitted.

R. S. R.
21-1-07.

N. K.
21-1-07.

Forwarded unofficially to the Comptroller as above.

By Order,
B. SRINIVASA IYENGAR.
21-1-07.

A draft amending the articles concerned is put up.

M. N. KRISHNA RAO.
In charge of the Comptroller's Office.
30-1-07.

Draft submitted to the Secretary.

B. SRINIVASIENGAR.
5-2-07.

R. S. R.
4-2-07.

N. K.
4-2-07.

To Dewan, through 2nd Councillor.

K. S. CHANDRASEKHARA AIYAR.
6-2-07.

We may at once adopt the amendments introduced in British India under Government of India Resolution No. 856-89 of 8th August 1906. This will obviate many of the difficulties raised by Mr. Basu.

Draft may be approved.

K. P. PUTTANNA CHETTY.
7-2-07.

K. S. CHANDRASEKHARA AIYAR.
7-2-07.

B. SRINIVASIENGAR.
7-2-07.

Submitted to His Highness.

The Government of India having recently cancelled the rule which prohibits the grant of acting allowances for the first 30 days of a privilege leave vacancy, it is proposed to make a similar change in the Mysore Service Regulations. The accompanying draft addenda and corrigenda may be approved.

V. P. MADHAVA RAO.
18-2-07.

Order.

Approved.

K. R. W.
25-2-07.

Dewan's Order.

Please issue.

By Order,
C. S. BALASUNDARAM IYER,
28-2-07.
K. S. CHANDRASEKHARA AIYAR.
1-3-07.
B. SRINIVASA IYENGAR.
1-3-07.

6. To the Comptroller and the other Heads of Departments, No. Fl. 6565-607, dated 2nd March 1907.

Cancels the rule prohibiting the grant of acting allowances during the first 30 days of a privilege leave vacancy and sanctions the necessary addenda and corrigenda to the Mysore Service Regulations and forwards them to the Comptroller for the issue of necessary correction slips.

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

Addenda and Corrigenda cancelling the rule which prohibits the grant of acting allowance for the first thirty-days of a privilege leave vacancy

FILE No. 115 of 1905-06.

Letter No. 1523-228, dated 8th September 1906, from Rai N. G. Basu Bahadur, M. A., Comptroller, Mysore Government, to K. S. Chandrasekhara Aiyar, Esq., B.A., B.L., Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments.

Serial No. 3.

With reference to Government Proceedings No. Fl. 2010-1— S. & A. 115-05-2, dated the 16th September 1905, ordering that Acting Deputy Commissioners should be allowed to draw, during their Acting tenure, the minimum pay of the appointment, *viz.*, Rs. 700 and asking to submit a draft addendum to the Mysore Service Regulations, I have the honour to respectfully bring to the notice of Government that it is doubtful whether there is any sufficient justification for this general exception in the acting allowance rules.

2. As the order appears to have been issued without any record of the views of the Comptroller, I beg the matter may be reconsidered and if there is no objection I may be permitted to know the reasons for this important change.

No. Pol. 544, dated 4th January 1907, from K. S. Chandrasekhara Aiyar, Esq., B. A., B. L., Secretary to Government, General and Revenue Departments, to F. P. Rennie, Esq., I.C.S., First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.

Serial No. 4.

I am directed to request you to be so good as to obtain for the Durbar a copy of the Government of India Resolution and Corrigenda slip to the Civil Service Regulations on the subject of the abolition of the rule prohibiting the grant of acting allowances for the first thirty days of a privilege leave vacancy.

Letter No. 235, dated Bangalore, 18th January 1907, from F. P. Rennie, Esq., I.C.S., First Assistant to the Resident in Mysore, to the Dewan of Mysore.

Serial No. 5.

In reply to Mr. Chandrasekhara Aiyar's letter No. 544, dated the 4th January 1907, I am directed to forward a copy of the Government of India Resolution Nos. 856-889, dated the 8th August 1906, and Corrigenda slip to the Civil Service Regulations on the subject of the abolition of the rule prohibiting the grant of acting allowances for the first thirty days of a privilege leave vacancy.

ENCLOSURE No. I TO SERIAL No. 5.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT

ESTABLISHMENTS.

NOS. 856—889.

Simla, the 8th August 1906.

RESOLUTION.

The Government of India have had under their consideration the question of abolishing or modifying the rule contained in Article 99 of the Civil Service Regulations which lays down that, subject to certain provisos, no acting allowance is to be given to an officer acting in a higher appointment or grade in consequence of the absence of another officer on privilege leave for the first thirty days of such acting appointment, unless the acting officer is transferred from other station, in which case he may draw three-fourths of the acting allowance otherwise admissible. The rule has been in operation for twenty-five years, having been adopted in 1881 at the instance of the Secretary of State for India primarily as a measure of economy, though it was also anticipated that its effect would be of benefit as tending to prevent the withdrawal for short periods of many officers from the duties of their substantive appointments.

2. The Government of India have long been aware that the rule is regarded by officers generally as both illogical and illiberal and they think it probable that the economies which it has effected are incommensurate with the irritation which its application has aroused. Up to the present time they have not felt able to ask the Secretary of State to reconsider a decision of such authority and long standing: but it appears to them that the important change in the leave rules introduced in January 1901 has altered the position sufficiently to justify a reconsideration of the matter. The theory underlying the decision of 1881 was that privilege leave is intended to be an annual holiday, and that, as is the practice in England, the duties of an officer absent for a few weeks should be carried on by an officer on the spot

Addenda and Corrigenda cancelling the rule which prohibits the grant of acting allowances for the first thirty days of a privilege leave vacancy.

without extra expense to the State. Now that the regulations permit the combination of privilege leave with other kinds of leave, privilege leave is much less frequently taken by itself for short periods and the acting appointments made in consequence of an officer going on combined leave last for periods of from six months to two years. The rules as they stand present the anomaly that when an officer takes combined leave for any period from six months to two years, his *locum tenens* draws no acting allowance for the first thirty days, although his duties being new to him are for the first month usually more arduous than in the later period for which he receives an allowance. Another illustration of the anomalous manner in which the rule operates is to be found in the case of an officer acting for another deputed on special duty who on the completion of his special work proceeds on privilege leave combined with other leave. In this instance the acting officer is with no interruption or change of duties deprived of the acting allowance which he was drawing before the commencement of the privilege leave and which he draws again after the first thirty days of the leave.

3. The Governor-General in Council is pleased to announce that the Secretary of State to whom the matter was represented has now sanctioned the abolition of the rule in article 99 of the Civil Service Regulations. His Excellency in Council further directs that while the total abolition of the rule will have effect from the 15th July 1906, the date on which the Secretary of State's last despatch on the subject was received, the restriction hitherto imposed by article 99 should be inapplicable—

(i) in the case of ministerial officers;

(ii) in the case of non-ministerial officers, who were promoted in privilege leave vacancies to act in appointments which entailed increased work or responsibility, that is to say, officers who were promoted to act in a class as distinguished from a grade within a class, as for instance, a Deputy Commissioner acting as a Commissioner, or an Assistant District Superintendent of Police acting as a District Superintendent of Police; and

(iii) in the case of officers transferred in consequence of privilege leave vacancies to act in another station;

with effect from the 19th February 1906, the date on which a former despatch sanctioning these concessions was received. The necessary amendments in the Civil Service Regulations will be made by the Finance Department.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to the Finance Department for information and necessary action, to the other Departments of the Government of India, the Heads of Departments subordinate to this Department, the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Viceroy, the Military Secretary to His Excellency the Viceroy, and to the local Governments and Administrations for information; and also that the Resolution be published in the *Supplement to the Gazette of India*.

H. H. RISLEY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ENCLOSURE No. II. TO SERIAL No. 5.

Page 24. Article 99.

Cancel this article and the Note under it.

(4th Edition No. 217, dated 28th September 1906.)

No. FL. 6565-607—S. & A. 115-05-6, DATED BANGALORE, 2ND MARCH 1907.

ORDER.—To remove the anomaly and hardship that are being felt by the operation of the rule in regard to the allowances for the first thirty days of a privilege leave vacancy as contained in Article 71 *et sequents* of the Mysore Service Regulations, 3rd Edition, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore have resolved to cancel the said rule and to remove the prohibition or restriction to the grant of the usual acting allowances during the said period.

2. The accompanying Addenda and Corrigenda to the Mysore Service Regulations, 3rd Edition, drafted by the Comptroller, are sanctioned and forwarded to him for the issue of the necessary correction slips at any early date.

K. S. CHANDRASEKHARA AIYAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Comptroller to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.
All Heads of Departments.

Addenda and Corrigenda cancelling the rule which prohibits the grant of acting allowances for the first thirty days of a privilege leave vacancy.

THE GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT
Dated Bangalore, 1st March 1907

ADDENDA AND CORRIGENDA TO THE MYSORE SERVICE REGULATIONS (3RD EDITION).

Page 20, Article 71.

Cancel this Article and the notes thereunder.

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Page 21, Article 72

Cancel this Article.

(No. D)

Page 21, Article 73.

Cancel this Article.

(No D)

Page 21, Article 74.

Cancel this Article.

(No. D)

Page 25, Article 89.

Omit the words " with the exception of so much of it as under Article 71 gave no claim to acting allowance " at the end of the note under the Article.

(No. D)

K. S. CHANDRASEKHARA AIYAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

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M.V.K
29-11-06

Papers are subs.

R.S.R
18/12/06

The ruling was the result of a representation made by Mr. K.R. Srinivasa Iyengar as Leg Dy Commr of Bangalore - The Rev Commr. recommended that the pay of Leg Dy Commrs may be fixed at Rs 700 pm as anything less than that was not an adequate remuneration for their duty & responsibility. A similar Concession having been allowed to District Judges, the recommendation was sanctioned - Subt to Govt

Secretary
M.V.K
21/12/06

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The letter of the Govt of India does not need no further action now. The change was advised & made on the analogy of the rule already in force in regard to Dt Judges' & other appts; & it is too late to reconsider it now.

If a rule corresponding to that framed so far back as July 1906 in British India had been adopted in Mysore, it would have avoided difficulties in this & other respects.

Please draft & issue a letter to the Dt & Resident asking that a copy of the Govt of India Resolution & Corrigenda slip to the Service Regns on the subject of the abolition of the rule prohibiting the Govt of India calling for the first 30 days (details)

K.S.C. 31.12.06

Draft submitted R.S.R. 26-12-06 N.K.

Issue M.N.K. 30-12-06

To the H. Asst to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore No. Pol 524 dt 4-1-07. Requests to be furnished with a copy of the Govt of India Resolution and the Corrigenda slip to the

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"Secretary's order"

"Put up drafts of the necessary "amendments to our Service "Regulations after an unofficial "reference to the Comptroller"

(Sd) K. S. C. 19-1-07.

Subn RSR

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N. K.

B. O.

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Note No 163 of 31-1-07

Draft amending the articles Concerned to put up.

Asst Secretary

In charge of the Comptroller's Office

30-1-07

Draft Subn to the Secretary.

RSR

4-2-07.

N. K.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

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To Secy (Rev) Dept K.S.C 6.2.07

We may at once adopt the amendments introduced in Portuguese India under Govt of India Resolution No 856-89 of 8th August 1906. This will obviate many of the difficulties raised by Mr Bacon

K.P.P. 7/2/07

Draft may be approved K.S.C 7.2.07 B.S 7/2

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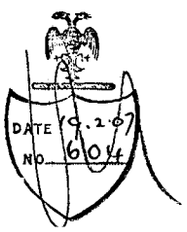
Submitted to His Highness.

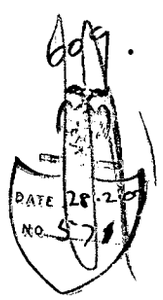
The Government of India having recently cancelled the rule which prohibits the grant of acting allowances for the first thirty days of a privilege leave vacancy, it is proposed to make a similar change in the Mysore Service Regulations. The accompanying draft addenda and corrigenda, may be approved. V.P.M

Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja.

Subject.

Draft of an addenda and corigenda cancelling the rule which prohibits the grant of acting allowances for the first 30 days of a privilege leave vacancy.





Order.

Approved

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25/2/07

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H.D. to 24.7.06

THE MADRAS MAIL, TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 17, 1906.

Privilege Leave Vacancies.

Acting Allowances.

A JUST CONCESSION.

Information has been received that the Secretary of State has decided to abolish altogether Article 99 of the Civil Service Regulations, which deals with the emoluments of an officer appointed to officiate in a higher appointment during a privilege leave vacancy. In future, an officer will receive acting allowances for the whole period, including the first 30 days of a privilege leave acting appointment.

Privilege Leave Vacancies.

OFFICIALS IN INDIA WILL READ WITH CONsiderable interest and pleasure the announcement made in our telegraphic columns to-day to the effect that the Secretary of State has decided to abolish altogether Article 99 of the Civil Service Regulations, which deals with the emoluments of an officer appointed to officiate in a higher appointment during a privilege leave vacancy. In future, an officer will receive acting allowances for the whole period including the first 30 days of a privilege leave acting appointment. It has always been somewhat of a mystery why the first 30 days of a privilege leave vacancy were not allowed to count for acting allowances. Probably it was intended to simplify accounts and prevent salary bills becoming complicated, on the plea that any official ought to be willing to officiate in higher duties for a few weeks without any extra remuneration. But clearly, if acting allowances in privilege leave vacancies are held to be admissible at all, they ought to be given for the whole period. The case has become all the stronger, too, since the Regulation was passed permitting privilege leave, which is always on full pay, to be taken in conjunction with other leave on half pay. Be all this as it may, Mr. Morley's new order will be widely welcomed. It will cost Government very little, but to individual officials it will mean something substantial in return for extra work and extra responsibilities.

This is an important ruling which may be introduced with advantage in Mysore also.

2d CR 2nd annexation 18/7 to K.S.C 19/7 M.V.K.

23/7 24.7.06 I think so too. Please obtain the Comptroller's opinion 20/7/06 V.P. Madhavarao 23 CR

Serial No.

No 268 dtd 21-7-06

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE 23. JUL 1906 (16) MYSORE

Forwarded to the Controller for favour of perusal

Devendrachar 21-7-06

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(Note No 13 dtd 23-7-06)

Our usual practice is to introduce important changes in the Mysore Service Regulations as soon as similar changes in the British Indian Civil Service Regulations have been advised. Newspaper reports can not be made the basis of such alterations.

I shall submit my proposals to Govt as soon as the Govt of India orders are issued either in the form of a Resolution or an addenda & corrigenda Slip.

N.G. Bade
23.7.06

Mysore Revised & filed.
K.S.C
24.7.06

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Proceedings of the Govt of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore

Addenda & Corrigenda cancelling the rule which prohibits the grant of acting allowance for the first 30 days of a privilege leave vacancy.

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OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER, MYSORE GOVERNMENT.

Dated Bangalore, the 8 Sept 1906.

FROM

RAI N. G. BASU BAHADUR, M.A.,
COMPTROLLER, MYSORE GOVERNMENT.

Serial No. 3

Form N

To

K.S. Chandrasekhara Iyer, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE,
General and Revenue DEPARTMENT.

letter No. 1523/228 dated 8-9-06

SIR,

With reference to Government Proceedings No. Fl.2010-1/S & A.115-05-2 dated the 16th September 1905 ordering that acting Deputy Commissioners should be allowed to draw, during their acting tenure, the minimum pay of the appointment, viz., Rs. 700/- and asking to submit a draft addendum to the Mysore Service Regulations, I have the honour to respectfully bring to the notice of Government that it is doubtful whether there is any sufficient justification for this general exception in the acting allowance rules.

2. As the order appears to have been issued with out any record of the views of the Comptroller, I beg the matter may be reconsidered and if there is no objection I may be permitted to know the reasons for this important change.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Comptroller.

_____ Department.

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From

Rai N. G. Basu Bahadur, M.A.,
Comptroller, Mysore Govt.

To

_____ Esq.,

Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore,

Rev. Dept.

Dated

Despatched 8-9-06

Received

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Subject Matter.

Brus the notice of Govt. that it is doubtful whether there is any ~~doubtful~~ suppression of information in his general exception in the A. C. Allowance

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Diary No. of letter replied to 115

From
K. S. Chandra Sekhara Iyer Esq - B.A. B.L.
Secretary to Govt - Genl & Rev - Depts

No Pol Sec 544 dt 4.1.07

To E. P Rennie Esq. I.C.S

General and Revenue Secretariat
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Date of issue 6-07

Signed by K. S. Chandrasekhara Iyer Esq

To The F. A. to the Honble
the Resident in
No. Pol 544 dt 4.1.07 Mysore

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SUBJECT.

for Secretary
30/1/06

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No. 235 Secret

FROM

F. P. RENNIE, ESQ., I. C. S.,
FIRST ASSISTANT TO THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

Serial No. 5

To

The Dewan of Mysore.

Letter No. 235 Dated Bangalore, 18th January 1907.

SIR,

In reply to Mr. Chandrasekhara Iyer's letter No. 544 dated the 4th January 1907, I am directed to forward a copy of the Government of India Resolution Nos. 856-889 dated the 8th August 1906, and Corrigenda slip to the Civil Service Regulations on the subject of the abolition of the rule prohibiting the grant of acting allowances for the first 30 days of a privilege leave vacancy.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

J. P. Rennie
First Assistant Resident.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Nos. 856–889.

Simla, the 8th August 1906.

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H. H. RISLEY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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File No. 115
Serial No. 105 6.

Diary No. of letter replied to

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No H 6568-607
& 2. March 07

General and Revenue Secretariat

To

the 2 March 1907

Date of issue do

Signed by W Sreenivasa Iyengar

Order:

To remove the anomaly and hardship that are being felt by the operation of the rule of the first 30 days of a Private Leave Vacancy as contained in articles 71 et seq of the MSR 3rd Edition, the Govt of H.H the Maharaja have resolved to cancel the said rule and remove the prohibition or restriction to the grant of the usual acting allowances during the 1st 30 days said period.

2. The accompanying addenda and corrigenda to the MSR 3rd Ed.

over.

SUBJECT.

drafted & the Comptroller are
sanctioned and forwarded to
him for the issue of the necessary
Cheques at any early
date—

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Secretary

The Comptroller: ~~H.C.~~:—

~~Mr. Cass~~
H.M. Department

List of enclosures

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Addenda & Corrigenda
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Mr Allen Quinton
for Comptr

M.I. 28/1/04.

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Financial (Salaries and Allowances), dated 2nd March 1907.

No. Fl. 6565-607—S. & A. 115-05-6, dated Bangalore, 2nd March 1907.

Order.—To remove the anomaly and hardship that are being felt by the operation of the rule in regard to the allowances for the first thirty days of a privilege leave vacancy as contained in Article 71 *et sequents* of the Mysore Service Regulations, 3rd Edition, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore have resolved to cancel the said rule and to remove the prohibition of or restriction to the grant of the usual acting allowances during the said period.

2. The accompanying Addenda and Corrigenda to the Mysore Service Regulations, 3rd Edition, drafted by the Comptroller, are sanctioned and forwarded to him for the issue of the necessary correction slips at any early date.

K. S. CHANDRASEKHARA AIYAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Comptroller to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.
All Heads of Departments.

The General and Revenue Secretariat,
Dated Bangalore, 1st March 1907.

ADDENDA AND CORRIGENDA TO THE MYSORE SERVICE REGULATIONS (3rd Edition).

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1906-07

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS
THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

FINANCIAL
(SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES)

PROCEEDINGS

Dated 2nd March 1907

No. Fl. 6565-607
S. & A. 115-05-6

Cancelling the rule prohibiting the grant of acting allowances for the first thirty days of a privilege leave vacancy.

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES.

MARCH 1907.

"A" Collection: Serial Nos. 1—6.

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1906-07.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES.)

NOTES.

File No. 115 of 1905-06.

Salary of an Officer, acting as Deputy Commissioner and amendment of the rule *rè* grant of acting allowance to first 30 days of a privilege leave vacancy.

From the Comptroller to Government, No. 1523—228, dated 8th September 1906.

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Submitted for orders.

R. S. R.
24-11-06.

N. K.
26-11-06.

The rule prohibiting the grant of acting allowances for the first 30 days of a privilege leave vacancy was cancelled in British India. I believe there was a proposal to cancel the corresponding rule in Mysore Service Regulations. Have orders been passed on this proposal ?

M. N. KRISHNA RAO.
29-11-06.

Papers are submitted.

R. S. R. N. K.
18-12-06.

The ruling was the result of a representation made by Mr. K. R. Srinivasa Iyengar, as Acting Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore. The Revenue Commissioner recommended that the pay of Acting Deputy Commissioners may be fixed at Rs. 700 per mensem, as anything less than that was not an adequate remuneration for their duty and responsibility. A similar concession having been allowed to District Judges, the recommendation was sanctioned. Submitted to Secretary.

M. N. K.
21-12-06

The letter of Mr. Basu, dated 8th September 1906, needs no further action now. The change was advisedly made on the analogy of the practice already in force in regard to District Judges and other appointments; and it is too late to reconsider it now.

If a rule corresponding to that issued so far back as July 1906 in British India had been adopted in Mysore, it would have obviated difficulties in this and other respects.

Please draft and issue a letter to the First Assistant Resident, asking that a copy may be furnished of the Government of India Resolution and Corrigenda slip to the Civil Service Regulations on the subject of the abolition of the rule prohibiting the grant of acting allowances for the first 30 days, etc.

K. S. CHANDRASEKHARA AIYAR,
23-12-06.

Draft submitted.

R. S. R.
26-12-06.

N. K.
26-12-06.

Issue.

M. N. KRISHNA RAO.
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Forwards the required papers.

Secretary's Order.

Put up drafts of the necessary amendments to our Service Regulations after an unofficial reference to the Comptroller.

K. S. CHANDRASEKHARA AIYAR.
19-1-07.

Submitted.

R. S. R.
21-1-07.

N. K.
21-1-07.

Forwarded unofficially to the Comptroller as above.

By Order,
B. SRINIVASA IYENGAR.
21-1-07.

A draft amending the articles concerned is put up.

M. N. KRISHNA RAO.
In charge of the Comptroller's Office.
30-1-07.

Draft submitted to the Secretary.

B. SRINIVASIENGAR.
5-2-07.

R. S. R.
4-2-07.

N. K.
4-2-07.

To Dewan, through 2nd Councillor.

K. S. CHANDRASEKHARA AIYAR.
6-2-07.

We may at once adopt the amendments introduced in British India under Government of India Resolution No. 856-89 of 8th August 1906. This will obviate many of the difficulties raised by Mr. Basu.

Draft may be approved.

K. P. PUTTANNA CHETTY.
7-2-07.

K. S. CHANDRASEKHARA AIYAR.
7-2-07.

B. SRINIVASIENGAR.
7-2-07.

Submitted to His Highness.

The Government of India having recently cancelled the rule which prohibits the grant of acting allowances for the first 30 days of a privilege leave vacancy, it is proposed to make a similar change in the Mysore Service Regulations. The accompanying draft addenda and corrigenda may be approved.

V. P. MADHAVA RAO.
18-2-07.

Order.

Approved.

K R. W.
25-2-07.

Dewan's Order.

Please issue.

By Order,
C. S. BALASUNDARAM IYER.
28-2-07.
K. S. CHANDRASEKHARA AIYAR.
1-3-07.
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Addenda and Corrigenda cancelling the rule which prohibits the grant of acting allowance for the first thirty days of a privilege leave vacancy.

FILE No. 115 of 1905-06.

Letter No. 1523-228, dated 8th September 1906, from Rai N. G. Basu Bahadur, M. A., Comptroller, Mysore Government, to K. S. Chandrasekhara Aiyar, Esq., B.A., B.L., Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments.

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No. Pol. 544, dated 4th January 1907, from K. S. Chandrasekhara Aiyar, Esq., B. A., B. L., Secretary to Government, General and Revenue Departments, to F. P. Rennie, Esq., I.C.S., First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.

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H. H. RISLEY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ENCLOSURE No. II. TO SERIAL No. 5.

Page 24. Article 99.

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(4th Edition No. 217, dated 28th September 1906.)

No. FL. 6565-607—S. & A. 115-05-6, DATED BANGALORE, 2ND MARCH 1907.

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Addenda and Corrigenda cancelling the rule which prohibits the grant of acting allowances for the first thirty days of a privilege leave vacancy.

THE GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT
Dated Bangalore, 1st March 1907.

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